

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

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Oscar Marquez-Perez,

Case No. 2:22-cv-00796-GMN-DJA

Plaintiff,

Order

V.

State of Nevada,

Defendants.

11 Plaintiff Oscar Marquez-Perez is an inmate at the Southern Desert Correctional Center.
12 Plaintiff is proceeding *pro se*, or in other words, representing himself. Plaintiff's initiating
13 documents include his payment of the filing fee (ECF No. 1-2), a motion to challenge Senate Bill
14 182 (ECF No. 1), and a "notification of challenge" (ECF No. 1-1). Plaintiff has also filed a
15 motion for a temporary restraining order. (ECF No. 3). But Plaintiff cannot initiate a lawsuit
16 with motions alone. Instead, under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 3, a "civil action is
17 commenced by filing a complaint with the court." Fed. R. Civ. P. 3. Plaintiff is directed to file a
18 complaint on the Court's approved form, which will be mailed to him, or that can be found at
19 [https://www.nvd.uscourts.gov/wp-content/uploads/2021/11/Final-1983-Complaint-and-](https://www.nvd.uscourts.gov/wp-content/uploads/2021/11/Final-1983-Complaint-and-Instructions.pdf)
20 <Instructions.pdf>, to initiate his action.

21 **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that Plaintiff must file a complaint on the Court's
22 approved form on or before **July 7, 2022**. The Clerk of Court is kindly directed to mail Plaintiff
23 the Court's approved complaint form and instructions for the same. The Clerk of Court is also
24 kindly directed to mail Plaintiff a copy of his initiating documents and his motion for a temporary
25 restraining order. (ECF Nos. 1, 1-1, and 3).

DATED: June 7, 2022


MICHAEL J. ALBREGTS

DANIEL J. ALBREGTS
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE